

HOUSE BILL NO. 9

INTRODUCED BY WITT

BY REQUEST OF THE OFFICE OF BUDGET AND PROGRAM PLANNING

A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT ESTABLISHING PRIORITIES FOR CULTURAL AND AESTHETIC PROJECTS GRANT AWARDS; APPROPRIATING MONEY FOR CULTURAL AND AESTHETIC GRANTS; PROVIDING FOR A TRANSFER OF FUNDS FROM THE STATE GENERAL FUND TO THE CULTURAL AND AESTHETIC TRUST FUND; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

NEW SECTION. Section 1. Appropriation of cultural and aesthetic grant funds -- priority of disbursement. (1) The Montana arts council shall award grants for projects authorized by and limited to the amounts appropriated by [section 3] and this section. Money must be disbursed in priority order, first to projects covered under subsection (3) and second to projects listed in [section 3].

(2) The Montana arts council shall disburse money to projects authorized by [section 3] through grant contracts between the Montana arts council and the grant recipient. The award contract must bind the parties to conditions, if any, listed with the appropriation in [section 3].

(3) There is appropriated from the cultural and aesthetic projects account in the state special revenue fund to the Montana historical society \$30,000 for the biennium ending July 1, 2007, for care and conservation of capitol complex artwork.

NEW SECTION. Section 2. Fund transfer. At the beginning of fiscal year 2006, the amount of ~~\$3,912,500~~ \$3,412,500 is transferred from the state general fund to the cultural and aesthetic projects trust fund established in 15-35-108 for the purpose of protection of the works of art in the capitol and for other cultural and aesthetic projects.

NEW SECTION. Section 3. Appropriation of cultural and aesthetic grant funds. The following projects are approved and ~~amounts~~ \$792,925 is appropriated to the Montana arts council for the biennium ending June 30, 2007, from the cultural and aesthetic projects account:

1	Grant #	Grantee	Grant Amount
2	A. Special Project \$4,500 or Less		
3	1105	Miles City Speakers Bureau	\$4,500
4	1108	Preservation Cascade, Inc.	\$3,000
5	1102	Council for the Arts, Lincoln	\$2,500
6	1107	Montana Storytelling Roundup	\$4,500
7	1101	Butte Citizens for Preservation and Revitalization	\$4,500
8	1109	Signatures From Big Sky	\$4,500
9	1103	Fort William H. Harrison Museum Foundation	\$3,000
10	1104	Metropolitan Opera National Council	\$1,000
11	1106	Montana Mandolin Society	\$2,000
12	1110	Wibaux County Visioning Committee	\$3,550
13	B. Special Projects		
14	1126	Montana Committee for the Humanities	\$31,798
15	1129	Montana Preservation Alliance	\$17,600
16	1117	Emerson Cultural Center	\$10,600
17	1133	Prairie County Museum/Montana Historical Society	\$16,700
18	1123	Missoula Art Museum	\$14,100
19	1132	Pondera Arts Council	\$13,400
20	1112	Bozeman Symphony Society	\$9,900
21	1134	Rimrock Opera Company	\$7,100
22	1124	Missoula Symphony Association	\$4,200 <u>\$4,500</u>
23	1135	Southwest Montana Arts Council	\$6,300
24	1127	Montana Historical Society	\$14,100
25	1137	VIAs, Inc.	\$12,000
26	1120	International Choral Festival	\$3,500
27	1121	KUFM-TV, Montana PBS	\$10,600
28	1138	World Museum of Mining	\$1,447
29	1122	Mission Valley Friends of the Arts	\$4,000
30	1111	Artisan Dance Theatre	\$14,100

1	1136	St. Vincent Health Care Foundation	\$3,500 <u>\$4,500</u>
2	1125	Montana Alliance for Arts Education	\$3,500 <u>\$4,500</u>
3	1128	Montana Museum of Art and Culture	\$3,500
4	1131	Paris Gibson Square	\$3,500
5	1115	Children's Museum of Montana	\$6,200
6	1114	Chantilly Players	\$5,600
7	1118	Garnet Preservation/Garnet Ghost Town	\$4,200
8	1130	National Museum of Forest Service History	\$2,500
9	<u>1113</u>	<u>BROWNING COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION</u>	<u>\$9,000</u>
10	C. Operational Support		
11	1164	Montana Art Gallery Director's Association	\$14,100
12	1170	Montana Performing Arts Consortium	\$17,600
13	1167	Montana Association of Symphony Orchestras	\$6,300
14	1166	Montana Arts	\$10,600
15	1169	Montana Dance Arts Association	\$3,500 <u>\$4,500</u>
16	1177	Shakespeare in the Parks	\$17,600
17	1150	Custer County Art Center	\$22,600
18	1163	Montana Agricultural Center and Museum	\$17,000
19	1162	Missoula Children's Theatre, Inc.	\$21,200 <u>\$30,000</u>
20	1149	Carbon County Historical Society	\$15,500
21	1183	Writer's Voice (Billings YMCA)	\$17,600
22	1155	Great Falls Symphony Association	\$14,100
23	1142	Art Mobile of Montana	\$10,600
24	1159	Holter Museum of Art	\$21,200
25	1145	Billings Symphony Society	\$13,400
26	1140	Alberta Bair Theater	\$17,600
27	1176	Schoolhouse History and Art Center	\$10,600
28	1181	Western Heritage Center	\$14,100
29	1143	Big Horn Arts and Crafts Association	\$10,600
30	1182	Whitefish Theatre Company	\$10,600

1	1157	Helena Symphony Orchestra and Chorale	\$14,100
2	1141	Archie Bray Foundation	\$14,100
3	1146	Butte Center for the Performing Arts	\$17,600
4	1154	Grandstreet Theatre	\$10,600
5	1173	Myrna Loy Center	\$14,100
6	1184	Yellowstone Art Museum	\$18,300
7	1171	Montana Repertory Theatre	\$10,600
8	1168	Montana Ballet Company	\$8,500
9	1158	Hockaday Museum of Art	\$8,500
10	1165	Montana Artists Refuge	\$3,500 <u>\$4,500</u>
11	1172	Museum of the Rockies	\$7,100
12	1175	Rocky Mountain Ballet Theater	\$7,100
13	1180	VSA Arts of Montana	\$7,100
14	1185	Young Audiences of Western Montana	\$5,600
15	1179	Vigilante Theatre Company	\$6,300
16	1147	Butte Symphony Association	\$7,100
17	1160	Intermountain Opera	\$8,500
18	1151	District 7 HRDC Growth Thru Art	\$10,600
19	1156	Hamilton Players, Inc.	\$7,100
20	1148	Carbon County Arts Guild and Depot	\$6,400
21	1174	Northwest Montana Historical Society	\$3,500 <u>\$4,500</u>
22	1161	Miles City Preservation Commission	\$3,000
23	1178	Sunburst Community Foundation	\$5,300
24	1144	Billings Cultural Partners	\$2,000
25	D. Capital Expenditure		
26	1188	Liberty Village Arts Center and Gallery	\$6,300 <u>\$12,300</u>
27	1189	Meagher County Historical Association	\$4,500
28	1190	St. Labre Indian School and Museum	\$3,730
29	1186	Friends of the Madison Valley Library	\$3,528 <u>\$4,500</u>
30	1187	Lewistown Art Center	\$2,500

NEW SECTION. **Section 4. Reversion of grant money.** On July 1, 2007, the unencumbered balance of the 2007 biennium grants revert to the cultural and aesthetic projects account provided for in 15-35-108.

5 NEW SECTION. **Section 5. Reduction of grants on pro rata basis.** Except as provided in [section
6 1(3)], if money in the cultural and aesthetic projects account is insufficient to fund projects at the appropriation
7 levels contained in [section 3], reductions to ~~a~~ projects WITH FUNDING GREATER THAN \$4,500 will be made on a
8 pro rata basis.

10 NEW SECTION. **Section 6. Effective date.** [This act] is effective July 1, 2005.

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